

FARMERS MARKET BULLETIN For 06.27.09 Woodstock Farmers Market

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The Woodstock Farmers Market will be in its third week this Saturday, June 27. To date, the WFM has been very successful, with nearly 240 customers and great vendors. As promised, the crops are starting to come in, so expect better produce every weekend. Last weekend, Buckeye Creek Farms had a tremendous week, selling beans, tomatoes and berries. Look for more of the same this weekend, along with growers bringing in more products that have recently been harvested including squash.

Two of the WMF vendors, Sweetwater Growers and Rinse Soaps are online and have wonderful websites showing off their products and introducing their businesses. Sweetwater Growers supplies to fine dining restaurants in Atlanta, Charlotte, Raleigh and Nashville as well as upscale markets. The fine folks at Sweetwater use a process called *hydroponics* for their herbs and greens. Hydroponics uses water instead of soil and allows for quick harvest and delivery, making Sweetwater the freshest herbs and greens on the market. See www.sweetwatergrowers.com for more information.

Rinse Soaps delivers a line of fresh, natural handmade products from here in Cherokee County. Soaps, sticks, moisture creams, muds, masks, scrubs, salts and candles are all a part of the Rinse Bath & Body Company line of treats for the senses. The soaps are all cut for the consumer on site at the market. For more information, visit www.rinsesoap.com.

The residents, merchants, and Downtown Development Authority invite you to come out to the Woodstock Farmers Market this Saturday, June 27 to see the crops that have just come in and to buy local. The Market is held every Saturday, June 13 to August 29 from 8a.m. to noon on Fowler Street, located just off of Main Street across from the Bank of Woodstock. Customers are encouraged to come early for the best selection and to bring small bills. For more information about the Woodstock Farmers Market, call 770-592-6056 or email farmersmarket@oldetownewoodstock.com.